

## ABSTRACT

An optical head device includes a laser beam emitting element having a rectangular type body frame in which a semiconductor laser chip is accommodated, a light-emitting element holder having a first holder member and a second holder member, and a base portion to which the light-emitting element holder is mounted. The first holder member and the second holder member are fixed to each other so as to respectively about within part of the laser beam emitting element from both sides to hold the laser beam emitting element.